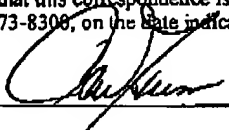


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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir/Madam:

Applicants respond to the outstanding Office action mailed on January 4, 2006 with a petition for a one month extension of time, and the following remarks:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

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